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FM AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3088

INFO AMEMBASSY AMMAN

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AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

C O N F I D E N T I A L TEHRAN 4971

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, IR, SA, JO, KU

SUBJECT: ASSISTANCE TO JORDAN

REF: TEHRAN 4927

1. IN TALK WITH COURT MIM TER ALAM MORNING 16 JULY, PROBED FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON SUBJECT PARA TWO OF REFTEL. ALAM CONFIRMED THAT DEVELOPMENTAL ASSISTANCE WOULD BE GIVEN JORDAN BUT THAT NO RPT NO AID OR ARMS WERE IN THE PICTURE. HE DID NOT RPT NOT SPECIFY EXTENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL ASSISTANCE, AND IT APPEARED AS IF HE DID NOT REALLY KNOW PRECISE DETAILS.

2. IN DEVELOPING FURTHER ON SHAH'S CONCERNS ABOUT JORDAN, ALAM SAID THAT THE SHAH'S DESCRIPTION IS, "JORDAN HAS NOTHING EXCEPT THE MORALE OF ITS MONARCH AND THE MORALE OF ITS ARMY." ACCORDING TO ALAM, THE SHAH SEEMS TO LEAN IN THE DIRECTION OF ATTEMPTING TO ARRANGE FOR SUBSIDIES FROM KUWAIT AND SAUDIA ARABIA TO HELP JORDAN WITH ITS MILITARY PURCHASES. HOW HE EXPECTS TO ACHIEVE  
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THIS IS NOT RPT NOT CLEAR, BUT HE MAY DEVELOP ON THE

THEME WHEN HE MEETS WITH THE PRESIDENT. DEPENDENCE OF  
JORDAN ON FOREIGN FINANCIAL RESOURCES, MOST PARTICULARLY  
THE UNITED STATES, IS PROBLEM WHICH SHAH RECOGNIZES, AND  
IT MAY WELL BE THAT AS PRACTICAL MATTER HE FORESEES THE  
TWO WEALTHY ARAB COUNTRIES MENTIONED AS THE ONES WHICH  
SHOULD BE PERSUADED TO COME TO JORDAN'S ASSISTANCE.  
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